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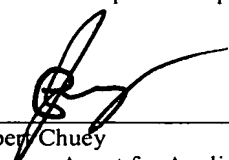
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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an AMENDMENT for the patent application:

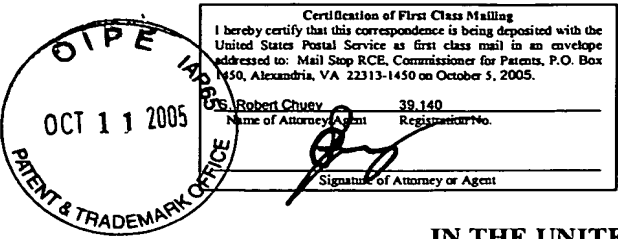
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Applicant(s) : Stephen Zimmerman, et al.
Filed : May 8, 2001
Title : SNACK PIECE DESIGN HAVING INCREASED PACKED DENSITY
TC/A.U. : 1761
Examiner : Drew E. Becker
Conf. No. : 2167
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1. ☒ No additional fees (claims fees or extension fees) are known to be required.
2. ☐ The fee has been calculated as shown below:
3. ☐ The Commissioner is hereby petitioned under 37 CFR §1.136(a) to grant any extension of time needed for timely response to the Office Action dated in the above-identified application to preserve pendency of said application. The processing fee under 37 CFR §1.17 has been determined as follows: \$ for a -month extension of time.
4. The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 16-2480. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.
 - a. ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR §1.16.
 - b. ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR §1.17.
5. The Director is hereby authorized to make any additional copies of this sheet needed to accomplish the purposes provided for herein and to charge any fee for such copies to Deposit Account No. 16-2480.



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RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111

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INTRODUCTORY REMARKS

This amendment is being filed in response to the Office Action dated July 5, 2005. No extension of time is required and no fee is believed due. Please consider the following remarks, which are believed to place the present claims in condition for allowance.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.